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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
TOSHIAKI AIBA ET AL.) Examiner: Not Yet Known
Application No.: 09/443,308) Group Art Unit: 2879
Filed: November 19, 1999)
For: ELECTRON-EMITTING)
DEVICE, ELECTRON SOURCE :
USING ELECTRON-EMITTING)
DEVICE, AND IMAGE :
FORMING APPARATUS) July 5, 2000

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. Copies of the listed document are also enclosed.

Some of the listed documents were cited in a European Search Report (copy enclosed) issued in a counterpart foreign application.

For the concise explanation of relevance for the non-English documents, the Examiner is respectfully referred to the English Abstracts attached thereto.

The Examiner's attention is also directed to the following U.S. Applications:

<u>APPLICATION NO.</u>	<u>FILING DATE</u>	<u>GROUP ART UNIT</u>
09/442,994	November 19, 1999	2879
08/690,964	August 1, 1996	2875
08/774,009	December 26, 1996	1762
08/846,187	April 28, 1997	2875
09/333,523	June 15, 1999	2875
09/437,746	November 10, 1999	2879
09/143,388	August 28, 1998	2879
09/153,883	September 16, 1998	2712
09/191,342	November 13, 1998	2875
09/440,535	November 16, 1999	2879
09/435,818	November 8, 1999	2875
08/418,093	April 6, 1995	2861
08/781,206	January 10, 1997	2879
09/468,940 (allowed)	December 22, 1999	2879

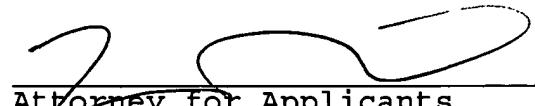
In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(2)(iii), no copy of any cited U.S. Application is enclosed.

CONCLUSION

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

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